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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
7 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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9 BARUCH ZOHAR,

10 Plaintiff,

11 vs.

12 STATE OF NEVADA, NEVADA YOUTH  
13 TRAINING CENTER, DIVISION OF CHILD  
AND FAMILY SERVICES,

14 Defendants.  
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) 3:06-cv-00731-LRH-VPC

) ORDER

16 Before the court is Plaintiff Zohar's Request to Move Trial from Reno to Elko for the  
17 Convenience of Witnesses (#48), Defendant's Opposition (#49), and Plaintiff's Reply (#50).

18 At the request of the court, the Court Clerk's office has contacted known facilities that  
19 might be adaptable for purposes of conducting a civil trial in Elko. The results of that effort have  
20 failed to locate any available facilities. The court notes that most of the witnesses who have been  
21 identified by the parties herein are from the Elko area and the case itself arises at the Nevada  
22 Youth Training Center in Elko. Traditionally, the judges of this Court have sought to have cases  
23 arising from within northeastern Nevada heard in Elko when suitable court facilities could be  
24 obtained or at least have them heard by a jury composed from a venire selected from northeastern  
25 Nevada.

26 Due to the lack of an available acceptable court facility, Plaintiff's request to move the  
27 trial to Elko for the convenience of witnesses is denied. However, the court has instructed the  
28 Court Clerk to attempt to assemble a randomly selected jury venire composed of citizens from

1 northeastern Nevada.

2 The court confirms the trial date of August 18, 2009, in Courtroom 5 of the Bruce R.  
3 Thompson United States Courthouse in Reno, Nevada. If there is any objection to a northeastern  
4 Nevada venire, it shall be filed within ten (10) days of this order.

5 IT IS SO ORDERED.

6 DATED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2009.

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LARRY R. HICKS  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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